

CHULA VISTA EDUCATION

Educational Attainment/Elementary and Secondary Schools/Higher Education

EDUCATIONAL ATTAINMENT [2000]

	Less Than a 9 th Grade Education	High School Graduate	Bachelor's Degree	Graduate Degree
% of Chula Vista Residents, 25 years and older	9.8 %	78.5 %	22.2 %	23.3 %
% of San Diego County Residents, 25 years and older	7.9 %	82.6 %	29.5 %	28.7 %

SOURCE: U.S. CENSUS

ELEMENTARY SCHOOLS [GRADES PRE-K – 6]

Chula Vista Elementary School District

84 East J Street
Chula Vista, CA 91910
(619) 425-9600
www.cvesd.k12.ca.us

2001 – 2002 School Year Information

No. of Schools	39
Calendar Year	minimum of 180 instructional days, some charter schools offer additional days
Current Enrollment	24,469
Expenditure per Student	\$6,546
Student/Teacher Ratio	
Kindergarten – 3rd grade	20:1
Grades 4 – 6	30:1
Total Employees	2512

Education Programs

The District provides challenging educational programs to meet a diverse and dynamic student population, including performing arts and science magnet programs; five charter schools emphasizing technology, dual language and extended year calendars; and other programs that meet the unique needs of each school community. Selected schools throughout the District provide pre-school programs.

The District partners with the City of Chula Vista and various agencies to provide an extended school day and enrichment programs focusing on the environment, Olympic sports and literacy. Three schools house Family Resource Centers that combine the services of 50 community agencies and the District operates a mobile pediatric clinic in partnership with Sharp Chula Vista Medical Center and Scripps Hospital.

SOURCE: CHULA VISTA ELEMENTARY SCHOOL DISTRICT

SECONDARY SCHOOLS [GRADES 7 – 12]

Sweetwater Union High School District (SUHSD)

1130 Fifth Avenue
Chula Vista, CA 91911
(619) 691-5500
www.suhd.k12.ca.us

2001 - 2002 School Year Information

No. of Schools	7 middle, 3 junior and 10 high schools
Calendar Year	minimum of 180 instructional days
Current Enrollment	35,330
Expenditure per Student	\$6,930
Student/Teacher Ratio	22:1
Total Employees	580

Education Programs

SUHSD schools offer Advanced Placement studies, college-entrance support programs, gifted and talented education, alternative education and career-preparation programs including internships, work experience and Regional Occupation Program [ROP]. Other options include specialized academies for marine science, business leadership, media and journalism, creative and performing arts, science / technology / research skills, foreign language and global studies, and Marine and Navy Junior Reserve Officers Training Corps (ROTC).

Honors and Recognition

Sweetwater recently led the state in California Distinguished School awards, and its campuses have received state and national recognition for improved test scores and for programs in areas such as math, music, literacy, science and classroom instruction.

SOURCE: SWEETWATER UNION HIGH SCHOOL DISTRICT

Mean Senior SAT Scores [2001 - 2002]

Verbal	454
Math	472
Total	926

HIGHER EDUCATION

Chula Vista is ideally situated to benefit from several local and regional higher educational institutions, including Southwestern College [located in Chula Vista], San Diego State University, the University of California at San Diego, and the University of San Diego. The Salk Institute of Biological Studies, Scripps Institute of Oceanography, the University of Phoenix and National University also serve specialized San Diego region populations

Southwestern College

900 Otay Lakes Road
Chula Vista, CA 91910
(619) 421-6700
www.swc.cc.ca.us

One of California's 106 public community colleges, Southwestern College offers two-year programs for associate degrees and transfer credit in a range of disciplines. The College's Small Business Development and International Trade Center functions as a resource for small business and offers business counseling, technical assistance and networking resources.

Total Enrollment 19,175

[Chula Vista Campus]
[Fall 2002]

Enrollment by Division

Business Related	18%
Fine Arts / Humanities / Education	22%
Health Occupations and Athletics	13%
Engineering /Math / Science Related	7%
Vocational / Regional Occupation Program	2%
General Studies / Undecided / Self-Improvement	38%

SOURCE: SOUTHWESTERN COLLEGE

San Diego State University [SDSU]

5500 Campanile Drive
San Diego, CA 92182
(619) 594-5200
www.sdsu.edu

Part of the 22-campus California State University System, SDSU awards bachelor's degrees in 74 areas, master's in 54 areas, and doctorates in 9 areas. The school is a teaching university with strong research programs [more than \$60 million in funded research each year].

Undergraduate students 27,264

Graduate students 6,127

Total Enrollment 33,391

[San Diego Campus]
[Fall 2002]

Enrollment by College

College of Arts and Letters	14.6%
College of Business Administration	18.1%
College of Education	2.4%
College of Engineering	5.4%
College of Health and Human Services	6.5%
College of Professional Studies and Fine Arts	21.6%
College of Sciences	15.2%
Division of Undergraduate Studies	12.7%
Graduate Division and Research	3.5%

SOURCE: SAN DIEGO STATE UNIVERSITY

University of California, San Diego [UCSD]

9500 Gilman Drive
La Jolla, CA 92093
(858) 532-2230
www.ucsd.edu

One of 10 campuses in the University of California system, UCSD ranks 10th in the United States in the excellence of its graduate programs and the quality of its faculty, according to the National Research Council. The National Science Foundation's most recent report ranked UCSD sixth in the nation and first in the University of California system in federal R&D funding.

Undergraduate students 19,088

Graduate students 3,324

Medical students 1,136

Total Enrollment 23,548

[Main Campus]
[Fall 2002]

Undergraduate Enrollment by Colleges*

Thurgood Marshall College	20%
John Muir College	20%
Revelle College	20%
Eleanor Roosevelt College	16%
Warren College	23%
All Other Majors/Undeclared/Special Studies	1%

SOURCE: UNIVERSITY OF CALIFORNIA, SAN DIEGO





University of San Diego [USD]

5998 Alcalá Park
San Diego, CA 92110-2492
(619) 260-4600
www.sandiego.edu

Undergraduate students 4,837
Graduate students 2,289
Total Enrollment 7,126

[Main Campus]
[Fall 2001]

California State University, San Marcos

333 S. Twin Oaks Valley Rd.
San Marcos CA 92096
(760) 750-4000
www.csusm.edu

Undergraduate students 7,096
Graduate students 531
Total Enrollment 7,627

[Main Campus]
[Fall 2002]

The University of San Diego is a private Catholic institution of higher education overlooking San Diego's Mission Bay. It includes the College of Arts and Sciences, School of Business Administration, School of Education, School of Law and Hahn School of Nursing and Health Science. The University offers over 50 graduate and undergraduate degrees.

Enrollment by College

School of Education	9.8%
School of Nursing and Health Science	2.3%
College of Arts and Sciences	51.8%
College of Business and Engineering	20.5%
College of Law	15.6%

SOURCE: UNIVERSITY OF SAN DIEGO

Founded in 1989, California State University, San Marcos opened its doors to students in the fall of 1990. It is the first of a new generation of Cal State Universities. More than 7,600 students currently attend the 304-acre campus, located in the foothills of northern San Diego. Cal State San Marcos is fully accredited by the Western Association of Schools and Colleges.

Enrollment by College

College of Arts and Sciences	68.9%
College of Business Administration	15.1%
College of Education	16.0%

SOURCE: CALIFORNIA STATE UNIVERSITY, SAN MARCOS

